

AO 91 (Rev. 11/11) Criminal Complaint

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Southern District of Texas

United States District Court
Southern District of Texas
FILED

JUN 03 2015

United States of America

v.

Case No.

Clerk of Court

Daniel Deciga

Defendant(s)

M-15-0885-M

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

I, the complainant in this case, state that the following is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

On or about the date(s) of June 2, 2015 in the county of Hidalgo in the
Southern District of Texas, the defendant(s) violated:

Code Section

Offense Description

21 USC 841

Knowingly and intentionally possess with the intent to distribute a controlled substance/approximately 11.12 kilograms of cocaine, a schedule II controlled substance under the Controlled Substance Act.

This criminal complaint is based on these facts:

See "Attachment B"

☒ Continued on the attached sheet.



Complainant's signature

Derek Lacina Special Agent, HSI

Printed name and title

Sworn to before me and signed in my presence.

Date: 06/03/2015



Judge's signature

City and state: McAllen, TX

Dorina Ramos, U.S. Magistrate Judge

Printed name and title

Attachment A

On June 2, 2015, Daniel DECIGA attempted to make entry into the United States from Mexico through the Hidalgo Port of Entry (POE) in Hidalgo, TX driving a Chevrolet Malibu bearing Texas license plate DFV1837. During an inspection of the vehicle, Customs and Border Protection Officers (CBPOs) discovered approximately 11.12 kilograms of cocaine concealed in front driver and passenger side door panels. A Homeland Security Investigation (HSI), Special Agent (SA) and HSI Task Force Officer (TFO) subsequently arrived at the Hidalgo POE to interview DECIGA. DECIGA was given a copy of his Statement of Rights and waived those rights verbally and in writing. DECIGA voluntarily stated that the Chevrolet Malibu which he was driving today belonged to him. He stated that he knew he was transporting cocaine into the U.S., however he would not tell agents who gave him the cocaine nor where the cocaine was going due to the fact that he was afraid for his family's safety in Mexico. DECIGA stated that this was the first time that he has smuggled cocaine into the U.S. and he was being paid approximately \$4,000 to do so.